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- ☐ Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet
- ☐ Assertion of Entitlement to Small Entity Status
- ☐ Application Data Sheet
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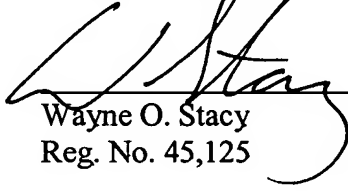
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